क्या है । यह बताना संभव नहीं है कि इस मामले में निर्णय कब तक ले लिया जायेगा ।

Enhanced leave entitlement in BEL Ghaziabad

1536. SHRI A. G. KULKARNI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Supreme Court in one of its recent judgements, has enhanced the leave entitlement of the employees of Bharat Electronics Limited, Ghaziabad;

(b) whether the said judgement has not been implemented so far and the BEL employees are not being granted enhanced leave; if so, what are the reasons for delay in implementation of the judgement;

(c) whether it is a fact that some of the employees have undertaken a fast upto death for an early implementation of the Supreme Court Judgement;

(d) if so, what action has been taken in the matter; and

(e) whether the judgement is also applicable to the executives working under similar conditions?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE PRODUCTION AND DEFENCE SUPPLIES (SHRI SUKH RAM): (a) to (d) Yes, Sir. The Supreme Court judgement dated 9.4.1986 has already been implemented and the employees of BEL Ghaziabad are being granted enhanced annual leave. However, one of the Unions had started an indefinite hunger strike (later withdrawn) when there was a difference of opinon whether the judgement should be implemented retrospectively or prospectively. On BEL's petition for clarification, the Supreme Court on 24-7-1986 has given four weeks' time for the filing of counter and rejoinder affidavits. Pending final decision, the Supreme Court has directed that the order of 9-4-1986 would be implemented only with prospective effect.

(e) No, Sir.

Manufacture of sub-standard T.Vs. by Niki Tasha

1537. SHRI MUKHTIAR SINGH MALIK: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it has come to Government's notice that sub-standard colour television sets are being manufactured and sold at exorbitant prices by M|s. Niki Tasha, India (P) Ltd.;

(b) whether it is also a fact that the M|s. Niki Tasha Ltd. force the customers at the time of sale of T.Vs. to make a service agreement on yearly basis and charge Rs. 750 per year; and

(c) whether Government propose to inquire into the functioning of this company so as to save the interest of poor customers and if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (SHRI SHIVRAJ PATIL): (a) to (c) No general complaint of such nature has been received in the Department of Electronics. However, the matter will be further looked into.

Andhra Pradesh request for setting up of Marine Technology Institute

1538. SHRI B. SATYANARAYAN REDDY: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Shri N.T. Rama Rao, the Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh, has written to the Central Government for establishment of a Marine Technology Institute at Vishakapatnam in that State; and

(b) if so, what are details in this regard and what action has been taken in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND